

A DAY IN THE COURTS.

Jury Found Cassell Guilty of Murder in Second Degree.

GOT FIFTEEN YEARS IN PENITENTIARY

Eleventh District Court Will Convene Monday and Both Dockets Will Be Called.

The jury in the case of Henry Cassell charged with the murder of Lena Stephenson in this city on the 14th of last July, returned a verdict of murder in the second degree and assessed the penalty at fifteen years confinement in the penitentiary.

Yesterday was motion day in the criminal district court, but all motions were disposed of and court adjourned at noon until Monday morning at 9 o'clock.

The motion for a new trial of Jim Cassell, convicted of vagrancy, was overruled, and defendant gave notice of appeal to the court of criminal appeals.

Will Sterling, convicted of assault to murder at the present term of court, was granted a new trial on account of error in the court's charge.

John Parker, convicted of attempted criminal assault, and given six years in the penitentiary, asked leave to withdraw his motion for a new trial, and was sentenced.

The motion for a new trial of Sam White, convicted of felony theft and given six years, was overruled and sentence was passed. The defendant gave notice of appeal.

The grand jury returned six bills of indictment—five for felonies and one for a misdemeanor.

Among the cases set for trial Monday are those of Cleveland Soper for seduction and C. T. Stephenson for embezzlement. Stephenson is charged by indictment with embezzling about \$4000 belonging to the Pacific Express company in this city on or about the 21st of October, 1901. He is under a bond of \$5000.

Judge Charles E. Ashe returned from his trial duty yesterday morning and will take up the work of the Eleventh district court for the December term Monday morning at 9 o'clock, at which time both dockets will be called and cases set.

The commissioners made a few orders yesterday and adjourned until the second Monday in January, 1903. The approval of monthly estimates for road work was deferred until the next meeting of the court.

In the Fifty-fifth district court the suit of P. H. Way vs. D. F. Weymouth et al is still on trial.

Temporary Injunction.

An application for injunction and appointment of receiver was filed last night by the Kingman Texas Implement company against the Perry Buggy company of this city, restraining them from disposing of any of the stock of goods on hand.

A temporary restraining order was issued by Judge C. E. Ashe of the Eleventh district court, citing the defendants to appear on December 15 at 10 a. m. to show cause why a permanent writ of injunction should not be issued and a receiver be appointed.

The plaintiff is represented by McCormick & Spence of Dallas and Hunt & Meyer of Houston.

Criminal District Court.

(Hon. J. K. P. Gillespie, judge presiding; Hon. J. V. Lee, district attorney; Oscar Reynolds, clerk.)

Jim Casey, vagrancy; motion for new trial overruled; notice of appeal given.

John Parker, assault to murder; motion for new trial granted.

Sam White, felony theft; motion for new trial overruled and sentenced to six years in penitentiary.

James Alexander, murder; mandate received from court of criminal appeals granting new trial.

Cases set for Monday: Cleveland Soper, seduction.

R. L. Williams, forgery, three cases.

C. T. Stephenson, embezzlement, three cases.

V. H. Hollis, attempted criminal assault.

Fifty-fifth District Court.

(Hon. W. H. Wilson, judge presiding; Henry Albrecht, clerk.)

Mrs. Cora B. Venable vs. J. H. Burnett, damages; leave to plaintiff to file third supplemental petition.

P. H. Way et al vs. D. F. Weymouth et al, trespass to try title, on trial.

Ex parte Maud Mather; application for removal of disability of appeal granted and fee of attorney fixed at \$10.

Edwin A. Warwick vs. Houston East and West Texas Railroad Company, damages; motion of defendants overruled, to which defendants except and give notice of appeal, ten days after adjournment allowed in which to file statement of facts.

Gustave A. Weyland vs. Texas and New Orleans Railroad Company, damages; defendant's motion for a new trial overruled, to which defendant excepts and gives notice of appeal.

Mamie Snell vs. W. R. Snell, divorce; alimony of \$20 per month allowed plaintiff during pendency of this action.

Probate Court.

(Hon. T. B. Dumas, judge presiding; R. F. Dupree, clerk.)

State of Texas vs. Baddie Schonfeldt, lunacy.

Commissioners Court.

The board of Thomas Pevanear, justice of the peace of precinct No. 2 and ex-officio notary public in the sum of \$1000, with C. W. Wynn and George Goodale as sureties, was approved.

It appearing to the court that the old River River Irrigation company has received a wire fence on right of way on the Sheldon and Zavalla road at its rice farm. It is ordered by the court that the sheriff notify Mr. Radford, the manager, to cause said fence to be removed at once.

The county surveyor was instructed to furnish grades, stakes and levels on the Houston Heights boulevard by Tuesday morning, the 15th inst.

Adjournment until second Monday in January, 1903.

Suits Filed for District Courts.

Boss Giddings vs. Henry Giddings; divorce.

Annie L. Sheehan vs. J. J. Sheehan; divorce.

Suits Filed for County Court.

Minerva Robinson vs. The Grand Lodge (colored) Knights of Pythias; debt.

C. F. Latimer vs. Paul Wagner; debt.

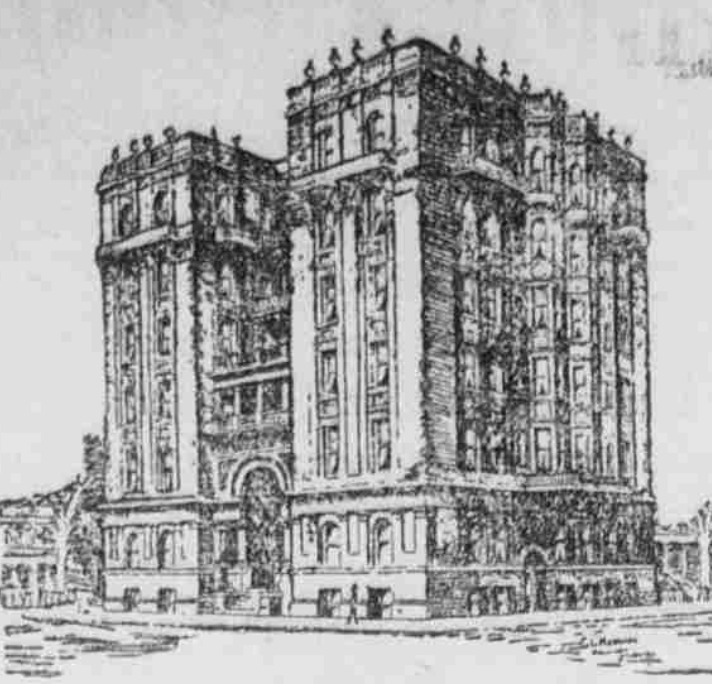
A. M. Osborne vs. W. S. Francis; appealed from the justice court.

Peter Adams vs. The Houston Electric Company; damages.

Real Estate Transfers.

Cent Fisher to George De Walt, \$25,000 and 20, block 105, in La.

ALABAMA HOTEL LEASED.



Captain F. A. Hervey Assumes Management of Hotel Bienville, Mobile, Ala.

Captain Frank A. Hervey, for some years the proprietor of the Capitol and Hotel of this city, has recently signed a lease for the Hotel Bienville, Mobile, Ala. Captain Hervey is not only well acquainted in Houston, but is known as a hotel man to most all of the Southern cities. The Hotel Bienville was erected in 1899. It is a handsome fireproof structure of nearly 100 rooms, and is strictly modern in every particular.

His friends will wish him much success in the conduct of his latest hotelery. Captain Hervey's new enterprise has an additional degree of interest to Texans, since the lease, which runs for ten years, was negotiated through Mr. W. H. Webb, the Chicago hotel broker. Mr. Webb was for several years proprietor of the Bienville hotel at San Antonio, and is well known to the traveling public of the State.

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T. O. Lockhart et al to Joseph O'Connor, lots 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, block 2; lot 7 and 14 feet of lot 8, Lockhart addition to block 2; lot 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, block 3; lot 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, block 4; lot 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, block 5; lot 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, block 6; lot 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, block 7; lot 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, block 8; lot 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, block 9; lot 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, block 10; lot 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, block 11; lot 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, block 12; lot 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, block 13; lot 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, block 14; lot 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, block 15; lot 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, block 16; lot 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, block 17; 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